

CREDIT PROFESSIONALS INTERNATIONAL

Student Grant Application

(Must be completed for Student Scholarship Program)

Name _____ Local Association _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

ZIP _____ Age _____ Phone Number _____ District _____

Name of School/College Attending _____

This questionnaire must be filled out completely. every question answered even if the answer is no or none, and must be accompanied by a letter of not more than 250 words written by the candidate applying of the scholarship. Eligibility to apply for student scholarship shall be dependent upon being a local association member in accordance with ARTICLE IV, Section 2.A.; must have an approved/completed Student Member Certification (for initial request); and the student must be at least a junior in an accredited high school.

- Send cover letter, completed application (below) and Student Certification documentation to the Foundation Grant Committee to be **received no later than November 30th** of the conference year.
- Additional documentation not to exceed 4 pages. Do not send photos or scrapbooks. (Additional documentation is in addition to the application, Student Certification documentation and cover letter)

No consideration will be given to applications or materials received after the due date.

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Listed below are the applicable categories and point scoring guidelines:

POINT SCORING GUIDELINES

1. Attendance: 1 point for each Local regular meeting; 1 point each other CPI Locals.
2. Educational Certification: 2 points each for CPI sponsored courses and seminars; (attending a State, District or International event counts as two points inclusive, not points per session or speaker at the event) 1 point each for other Credit Education Activities.
3. Membership & Extension Efforts:
 - Membership: 5 points for each new member; 2 points for each activity to build membership.
 - Extension Efforts: 5 points for a new Local Association; 1 point for each participation in extension activities; 1 point for each follow-up.
4. Editorial Submissions: 5 points for a submission for either a District or International Publication. (Submissions must be written by candidate and not related to a particular office held, i.e. President's message, committee report, editorial, etc.)
5. Cooperation & Assistance to CPI: 3 points each for Local; 2 points each for State or District (office or committee positions held, other); 1 point each for International (committee positions only).
6. Promotion for CPI: 10 points for obtaining or maintaining CPI Student Certification. 3 points for participating in a CPI Walk-A-Thon by walking, sponsoring another member or giving a donation, etc., and 1 point each for other activities such as speaker at a local meeting, obtaining speakers for meetings, taking an active part in Ways & Means projects, etc.
7. Community credit activities and other community participation. This should be community, not local association programs. (Employment duty related talks or seminars are excluded and cannot be applied to this point system).
 - 5 points for active participation in Credit Education Month;
 - 2 points each for schools and talks to other organizations;
 - 2 points each for conducting credit seminars;
 - 2 points each for active community participation (not necessarily credit, could be work for United Way, Red Cross, etc.)

Note: Each activity must be listed in one (1) category only and there is no limit on the number of points that can be accumulated.

APPLICATION FORM

1. LOCAL ASSOCIATION ATTENDANCE AND OTHER CPI MEETINGS ATTENDED AND DATES:

LOCAL: 1 Point for each Regular Meeting Attended
How many meetings did you attend?

OTHER CPI LOCALS: 1 Point each
Did you attend any CPI Seminars or meetings at other local CPI Associations?: _____
(List dates and sites)

2. EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATION:

CPI SPONSORED COURSES AND SEMINARS: (List and give dates. Attending a State, District or International event counts as two points inclusive, not a point per session or speaker at the event) 2 Points for each function attended.

OTHER CREDIT EDUCATION ACTIVITIES: (List and give dates) 1 Point for each function attended.

3. MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION EFFORTS:

NEW MEMBERS: Number of new members you were responsible for this past year. 5 Points for each new member (List names and date dues paid)

ACTIVITY TO BUILD MEMBERSHIP: (Describe other activities to build membership (such as news releases, contacts with businesses, etc.) 2 Points for each activity.

EXTENSION EFFORTS:

NEW LOCAL ASSOCIATION: (List and give date of Charter) 5 Points for a new association

3. MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION EFFORTS CONTINUED

EXTENSION ACTIVITY (List and give dates) 1 Point for each.

FOLLOW-UP: (List and give dates) 1 Point for each follow-up.

4. **EDITORIAL SUBMISSIONS:** District or International Publication, (Subject/title and date of publication) 5 Points for a submission (Submissions must be written by student and not related to a particular office held, i.e. Presidents message, committee report, editorial, etc.)

5. **COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE TO CPI:** (Office or committee positions held, other) LOCAL: (List and give dates) 3 Points for each.

STATE OR DISTRICT: (List and give dates) 2 Points for each.

INTERNATIONAL: 1 Point each for committee positions only.

6. **PROMOTION FOR CPI:** What you personally do to promote CPI?

1. CPI WALK-A-THON: 3 Points each activity. (List dates & activity)

2. OTHER PROMOTION: 1 Point each activity. (List dates, topics or projects)
 - A. Speaker at a local meeting:

 - B. Obtaining a speaker for meeting:

 - C. Ways & Means projects:

 - D. Any other projects:

7. COMMUNITY CREDIT ACTIVITIES AND OTHER COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION:

(This should be community, not local association programs. Employment duty related talks or seminars are excluded and cannot be applied to this point system.)

CREDIT EDUCATION MONTH: 5 Points (List date (s) and activity)

(Example: Scholarship judging and presentations, mall displays, radio or television presentations, etc.)

SCHOOLS & TALKS TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS: School work not to be included (List dates & organization) 2 Points each.

CREDIT SEMINARS: (List dates & details) 2 Points each.

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION: 2 Points each.

(Not necessarily credit, could be work for United Way, Red Cross, etc.)

Submit additional pages if needed. Additional documentation should not exceed 4 pages. Do not send photos or Scrapbooks.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Local association signatures:

President _____ Date _____

Secretary _____ Date _____

Additional Student Scholarship forms may also be obtained from our website www.creditprofessionals.org